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## MEDICINAL.

### THE OLD-FASHIONED STYLE

of pills gives you a feeling of horror when you see it. Like the "blunderbuss" of a former decade, it is big and clumsy, but not effective. In this century of enlightenment, you have Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, which cure all liver troubles in the most effective way. For Indigestion, Constipation, Bilious Attacks, Sick and Biliary Headaches, nothing has been found to equal these pills of Dr. Pierce's invention. Mr. S. BAKER, Sr., of No. 121 Summit St., Philadelphia, N. J., says: "There is nothing that can compare with Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, as Liver Pills. They have done me more good than any other medicine I have ever taken."

### DIRECTIONS FOR USING CATARRH CREAM BALM.

Apply a particle of the Balm well up into the nostrils. After a moment draw a strong breath through the nose. Use three times a day, after meals preferred, and before retiring.

ELY'S CREAM COLD IN HEAD Balm opens and cleanses the Nasal Passages, Alleviates Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Protects the Membrane from Cold, Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. The Balm is quickly absorbed and gives relief at once. Price 50 cents at Druggists or by mail.

ELY BROTHERS, 65 Warren street, New York.

### Webb's

Chill Cure \$1—At All Druggists.

### AGRICULTURAL.

#### HERBERT BRYANT,

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

#### FERTILIZERS

FINE GROUND RAW BONE (warranted strictly pure). FINE GROUND NOVA SCOTIA LAND PLASTER. Circulars of our regular brands mailed on application. Special formulas skillfully and accurately prepared.

Also dealers in AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS and MACHINERY, GARDEN, FIELD and GRASS SEEDS.

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Shingles, Laths, Nails, Cement, Calcedine

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MANUFACTURERS OF

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AND ALL KINDS OF WOOD WORK

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SMOOT & CO.

(Successors to J. Hector Smoot & Co.)

### STEAM FLOORING & PLANING MILL,

Manufacturers of

DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES, MOULDINGS, &c.

DEALERS IN LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME, CALCEONIDE PLASTER AND CEMENT

No. 25 north Union street, Alexandria, Va.

Lumber delivered free in the city.

### IS YOUR ROOM COLD?

At a cost of ONE CENT an hour, a

### "MILLER" HEATER

will make it as comfortable as you can desire

THERE IS ONLY ONE PLACE TO BUY THEM IN ALEXANDRIA.

Call and see them at

E. J. MILLER & SON'S,

dec29 No. 317 King street.

### DURING the months of

December and January,

I will put up SETS OF

TEETH at the rate of \$7, \$8

or \$10 PER SET.

Dr. FAWCETT,

Prince and Washington sts.

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NOTICE!

## Alexandria Gazette & Virginia Advertiser

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Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in this paper as advertisements.

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### GENERAL CORSE.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

Like many of the old 17th Virginia, I read of the death of my old commander with unfeigned sorrow and regret.

Yet he has only been mustered out by that fell sergeant, Death, and all those that followed him will in a few years receive the summons.

As one who fought under him in those days that tried the metal of men I want to give him a soldierly tribute and declare that thrice happy is that officer who, dying, can say "my platoon soldiers all loved me." "So my soldiers love me," said the great Napoleon. "I care not what the rest of the world thinks." And thus it was with General Corse.

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His men were so attached to him that they gave implicit obedience, that first duty of a soldier, willingly and gladly.

General Corse was no holiday soldier, and like Stonewall Jackson, he was not a favorite with the rank and file in the easy camp life of 1861.

He drilled the men incessantly and thoroughly, and they grumbled. But when actual hostilities commenced, he commanded a regiment that for steadfastness and reliability has never been surpassed.

General Corse was a born soldier and, like the stormy petrel, he was at his best when the earth rocked with the tread of armed battalions. The fame of a regiment is due to its colonel. No matter what material it is composed of, it is the commanding officer who impresses his own individuality upon the organization. So with Corse—his regiment was as famous in the army of Lee as Cromwell's Ironsides or Pickett's light division was of old England. But the affection his soldiers had for him was not due entirely to their admiration and confidence in him as a soldier. He was ever kind to his men and thoughtful of their comfort, he was never supercilious or haughty, and his heart was too big for the practice of tyranny or the insolence of office.

Corse had not that heavy which is a contempt of life, but he was essentially a courageous man. Shaftebury says: "Corse is cool and calm, the bravest of men have the least of bullying insolence, and in the very time of danger are found the most serene and free."

All those who followed the old chief can bear witness to this. I have seen him often in those times when the fates threw dice for death or life and he was fearless, self-possessed and calm.

I have seen him at Blackburn's Ford where in that baptism of fire his men learned to trust and admire him. I have seen him at Seven Pines in front command leading the forlorn hope.

I have seen him at the second Manassas cheering on a bridge and fighting until the sun sank below the horizon, and I have seen him at the head of nineteen guns and five officers, the survival of those who followed him across the plains, through the valleys and over the mountains into Maryland, where he lay in line of battle in front of the little village of Sharpsburg.

The faith and love his men had in him was displayed then in heroic colors. Not one moved. The two guns of a battery of artillery which was to support us were appalled at the odds opposed, and limbered up and made for the rear. The skeleton regiment on our right retreated, and when the shock came, to withstand the charge of a full Federal brigade, was Corse and his score of men. Yet he was as cool and calm as if he was witnessing a holiday pageant. He did not give the order to fire until the foe was in pistol shot distance, and the volley sounded as one shot. A rally from the fire, an advance. A stunning volley and twenty-one officers and men out of twenty-five fell. Corse himself was wounded, but cool and in the midst of that bloody scene, turned down the stars of his collar and lay amid the dead and dying, unnoticed until a counter attack of Jackson's men swept the field.

In his life as a citizen he was respected as much as the soldier. He was a gentleman in the true sense of the word, open, loyal, true, of humane and affable demeanor, honorable himself and fair in judgment of others. Faithful to his word, and faithful alike to God and man, so he lived and so he died.

The surviving veterans who fought under him are getting along in years, their footsteps are downhill and their faces are turned to the setting sun. But their hearts are still young and their memory green, and they will ever carry in loving remembrance the dauntless soldier and the true-hearted man.

ONE OF HIS VETERANS.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner, with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale by L. Stabler & Co.

FLOR—A carload, 125 barrels choice Flour, brought below the advance, for sale low by J. C. MILBURN.

W. M. P. WOOLLS & SON, Cor. Wolfe and Royal streets.

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FIVE HUNDRED BISHOPS PRIME

FURBANK POTATOES, 75 cents per bushel.

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## MEDICINAL.

### Your daily meals

can do you no good when your stomach and digestion are out of order! The food you eat does not make so much difference as the way it is digested. When in health you can eat almost anything, but when sick the most delicate dishes cause disgust!

### Brown's Iron Bitters

is the best remedy for stomach troubles and indigestion you can take. It has been tried and proven for many years. It will surely cure you. Brown's Iron Bitters does not injure the teeth or cause constipation, as all other iron medicines do. If your stomach troubles you, it's Brown's Iron Bitters you need! Do not try it as an experiment merely, for many, many sufferers have told us of dyspepsia cured—health restored—you need not doubt!

The Genuine has the Crossed Red Lines on the wrapper.

All Druggists and General Storekeepers sell it. But get the genuine—BROWN CHEMICAL CO., Baltimore, Md.

### ROOTS AND SHOES.

YOU, WHO KNOW US,

KNOW THAT WE MAKE NO PROMISES PROMISCUOUSLY WITHOUT PROOF.

WE HAVE A GREAT TREAT IN STORE for the Alexandria public. A regular Bona-fide clearing sale of FINE BOOTS AND SHOES. Every body will be able to wear good SHOES when they can be bought at the prices we are now selling them.

Men's \$4.00 " " " 3.00 " " " 2.50 " " " 2.00 " " " 1.50 " " " 1.00 " " " .75

Ladies' 4.00 " " " 3.00 " " " 2.50 " " " 2.00 " " " 1.50 " " " 1.00 " " " .75

Children's 1.00 " " " .75

COME QUICK AND GET YOUR PICK.

F. PAFF & SON,

423 KING STREET.

### REAL ESTATE, &c.

M. B. HARLOW & CO.,

Real Estate Loan & Insurance Brokers,

NO. 107 S. ROYAL STREET.

### FOR SALE.

North Columbus street, eight-room and bath, metal roof, bay window NEW FRAME DWELLING. Nice side yard. Lot 36x90 feet to an alley. Price \$2,000. Terms \$750 cash. Balance on easy monthly payments.

Upper Prince street, nine-room and bath, nearly new BRICK DWELLING. Lot 19x100 feet. Price \$2,800. One-half cash. Balance in 1, 2 and 3 years. Sundry home.

King street, between Fairfax and Lee, twelve-room STORE and DWELLING. Lot 25x100 feet. Price \$3,150. Terms one-third cash. Balance to suit.

Payne street, six-room corner BRICK DWELLING. Lot 13x123 feet. Price \$1,000. One-third cash. Balance to suit.

Cameron street, near Pitt, ten-room, three-story BRICK RESIDENCE. Price \$3,000. \$500 cash. Balance to suit purchaser.

South Henry street, seven-room FRAME DWELLING. Recently painted and papered. Big lot, 25x121 feet. Price \$1,000. One-half cash. Balance on easy terms.

New eight-room and bath PRESSED BRICK HOUSE. This fine residence has every modern improvement, including station washstands, hot and cold water, speaking tubes, furnace heat, concrete cellar, expensive gas fixtures, handsomely papered. Located in the most desirable residence section of the city. Price \$3,500. Terms one-third cash. Balance to suit.

M. B. HARLOW & CO., 107 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va.

### CHINA AND GLASSWARE.

### IMPROVEMENTS

AT

### E. J. MILLER & CO'S

On February 1st, 1895, carpenters will commence work on the interior of our store. We propose to make our store as attractive in appearance as any in the South. Until these improvements are completed, we will dispose of all the Rich Cut Glass, Haviland and Carlsbad, Plain and Decorated China, Fancy Bric-a-brac, Tea Sets, After Dinner Coffees, Chocolate Cups, Cake Plates, Afternoon Tea Sets, Ornaments, Barometers, &c., and other Decorated Wares, at a

DISCOUNT OF TWENTY PER CENT (20) FOR CASH ONLY—GOODS WILL NOT BE CHARGED AT THESE FIGURES.

This is one of the greatest opportunities to purchase fine goods at a low figure our customers have ever been offered. We invite you to call and see these goods.

E. J. MILLER & CO., IMPORTERS OF CHINA AND GLASS.

### ONE HUNDRED PICKLED PORK HAMS.

Small sizes, 11½c per pound.

W. M. P. WOOLLS & SON, Cor. Wolfe and Royal streets.

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SWEET MIXED PICKLES, Sweet Gherkins and Chow Chow, 17c per quart, at H. WALLACE'S, 900 King street.

QUATROL, the antiseptic and microbe destroyer, so extensively advertised in another column of the Gazette, is for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

MAXIMUM, Minimum, Clinical, Standard Dairy and Breweries Thermometers, Hydrometers, Anemometers, &c., for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

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## AUCTION SALES.

### TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust dated January the 20th, 1894, and recorded in Liber Q, No. 5, page 63, of the Land Records of Fairfax county, Virginia, executed by the Deis Manufacturing Company, the undersigned will at 12 o'clock m., on

the 9th day of March, 1895,

at the front door of the Court House, Fairfax county, at Fairfax Court House, Virginia, sell at public auction for cash, ALL THAT LOT OR PARCEL OF GROUND situated in the townsite of New Alexandria, in the county of Fairfax, State of Virginia, as shown upon the plat and survey of the division of the said townsite, recorded among the Land Records of Fairfax county, Virginia, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on the margin of the Potomac river at the centre of G street extended, as shown upon the plat of the said townsite, running thence north 81° 45', w. 1185.1 feet to the centre of the intersection of G and 10th streets, as shown upon the plan of the said townsite; thence n. 8° 14', e. 490 feet to the centre of the intersection of F and 10th streets, as shown upon the plan of the said townsite; thence s. 81° 45', e. 138.44 feet to the centre of the intersection of F street and Railroad Avenue; thence s. 33° 21', w. 184.94 feet; thence n. 88° 45', e. 414 feet to the margin of the Potomac river; thence with the meanders of the river, to the place of beginning, containing 13.55 acres of land, together with the MANUFACTURING PLANT OF THE DEIS MANUFACTURING COMPANY, located upon the said land, with all buildings, improvements, machinery, fixtures, engines and boilers, and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

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M. B. HARLOW, Trustee.

### TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust dated January the 20th, 1894, and recorded in Liber Q, No. 5, page 69, of the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, executed by the Deis Manufacturing Company, the undersigned will, at twelve o'clock m., on

the ninth day of March, 1895,

at the front door of the Court House, Fairfax county, at Fairfax Court House, Virginia, sell at public auction for cash, all those certain LOTS OR PARCELS OF GROUND situated in the townsite of New Alexandria, in the county of Fairfax, State of Virginia, and designated in the clerk's office of the County Court of Fairfax county, Virginia, in Liber N., No. 5, page 497, and by direction of the party so designated thereby, the undersigned, trustee in said deed, will offer for sale at public auction, on

SATURDAY, February 2nd, 1895,

at 12 o'clock m., on the premises, the property conveyed in said deed; to wit:

TWO GREEN HOUSES OR BUILDINGS adapted and constructed for the propagation and cultivation of flowers, plants, etc., together with other personal property pertaining to the same.

Said property is situated on the lands of George J. West, on the Little River Turnpike, in the village of West End, Fairfax county, Virginia, about one-half mile from the city of Alexandria, Va.